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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: OVIP

SUBJ: REQUEST FROM GOVERNOR WILLIAM T. CAHILL OF NEW JERSEY  
FOR TRANSPORTATION ASSISTANCE

1. GOVERNOR WILLIAM T. CAHILL CONTACTED THE EMBASSY AT APPROXIMATELY 4:00 PM TODAY REQUESTING ASSISTANCE IN OBTAINING MILITARY TRANSPORTATION TO RETURN TO THE U.S. FOR THE FUNERAL OF THE CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE NEW JERSEY SUPREME COURT.

2. THE EMBASSY ADMINISTRATIVE COUNSELOR AND AIR ATTACHE COORDINATED EFFORTS WITH TORREJON AIR BASE AND 16TH AIR FORCE REGARDING MILITARY AIRLIFT POSSIBILITIES TO THE U.S. THERE WERE NO MILITARY AIRCRAFT TRANSITING TORREJON OR SCHEDULED TO TRANSIT TORREJON WHICH WOULD RETURN THE GOVERNOR TO N.Y. BY 0900 ON SATURDAY OCT 20, THE TIME IN WHICH THE GOVERNOR DESIRED TO REACH NEW YORK IN ORDER TO ATTEND THE FUNERAL.

3. THE EMBASSY ADMINISTRATIVE COUNSELOR WAS IN CONTACT WITH GOVERNOR CAHILL ON THREE OCCASIONS AND ULTIMATELY INFORMED HIM THAT MILITARY AIRLIFT ASSISTANCE NOT AVAILABLE. GOVERNOR CAHILL WAS AWARE THAT NO COMMERCIAL FLIGHTS TO THE U.S. WERE SCHEDULED FROM SPAIN WHICH WOULD GET HIM TO N.Y. AT THE DESIRED TIME.

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4. IN THE EMBASSY'S LAST TELEPHONE CONVERSATION WITH  
GOVERNOR CAHILL WE BELIEVE HE UNDERSTOOD THAT ALL POSSIBLE  
EFFORTS HAD BEEN MADE TO LOCATE TRANSPORTATION FOR HIM. HE  
DID NOT INDICATE WHETHER HE WOULD MAKE ANY FURTHER EFFORTS  
TO RETURN TO THE U.S. THE GOVERNOR WAS INFORMED THAT THE  
EMBASSY WAS READY TO ASSIST HIM IN ANY WAY WE POSSIBLY COULD.  
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